

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

IN RE:	)	In Proceedings Under
	)	Chapter 13
MARK T. BURNS and MELISSA D. BURNS,	)	
Debtors.	)	Case No. 16-40692
and	)	
	)	
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,	)	
Creditor.	)	

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**OBJECTION TO PROOF OF CLAIM #11**

Now come the debtors, Mark T & Melissa D. Burns, by and through their attorney of the Bankruptcy Clinic, PC, and for their objection to claim number 11 filed by U.S. Department of Education state:

1. U.S. Department of Education filed Proof of Claim (No #11) asserting that Debtor 1 entered into a student loan with a remaining balance due of \$12,104.925. This Proof of Claim provided no attachments to stipulate when the agreement was made.

2. The Illinois Student Assistance Commission also filed Proof of Claim 4-2 that provides a master promissory note from July 2003 for Debtor 1.

3. Proof of Claim #4-2 filed by Illinois Student Assistance Commission could be inclusive of several loans; as it is common practice for students to take out more loans for additional academic years and continue to borrow under the same promissory note.

4. Proof of Claim #11 does not provide sufficient supporting evidence as to whether or not it should be a claim itself or if it could be inclusive and a duplicate to claim #4-2, therefore should be disallowed in its entirety.

WHEREFORE, the Debtors respectfully pray that the claim #11 of U.S. Department of Education be disallowed in its entirety.

Respectfully submitted,

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